

AUGUST

About People
And Things
BY C. B. McDOWELL

STEEL STRIKE SETTLED

The whole country heaved a sigh of relief when it was announced Thursday that the 28-day old steel strike had been settled with a three-year contract. Elba people are more than ordinarily interested in the settlement because of the effect it might have had on Dorsey Trailers who have a contract to build almost 4,000 trailer units within the next 14 months. With the steel strike settled, it seems to be practically assured that the Dorsey plant will be a busy place for at least another year.

FREAKISH CATCH

William Prescott, manager of Coffee County Lake, tells a tall fish tale that is as hard to believe as any Ripsey story ever told, but it is corroborated by a number of reliable persons who witnessed the freakish occurrence.

Mr. Prescott said Mrs. J. M. Folmar was visiting from the bank at the lake last Thursday afternoon when she got a bite. She said she noticed that although her cork went under, the fish made no effort to run with the hook.

When Mrs. Folmar gave the customary pull, there was something of an unusual weight on the line. When she pulled the object to the surface of the water, she was amazed to see that she had hooked a good-sized catfish that was inside a gallon cooking oil jar. Catfish, jar and all were landed on the bank.

The catfish was so large it got out of the jar with its fins outstretched. How the fish got into the jar is a mystery. The strangest feature of the freakish occurrence was that Mrs. Folmar should drop her hook into the mouth of a jar in such a large fishing area. It helps to hear out the old saying that truth is stranger than fiction.

MRS. NELSON BREAKS HIP

Hayes Funeral Home reports that Mrs. Lula Nelson is undergoing treatment in a Troy hospital for a fractured hip which she sustained when she fell from a porch at her home in Newala community Sunday morning. Because of her advanced age, her injury is a serious one but her many friends are hoping that she will have a speedy recovery.

EXCELLENT TEAM WORK

A large congregation attended the fifth Sunday union service at the Elba Methodist Church Sunday night. Rev. Murray L. Seay, Baptist pastor, delivered the sermon from the text, "Ye Must Be Born Again." When complimented after the service, he stated that his wife had written the sermon. In tight case it was a fine demonstration of team work—composition and delivery.

James Patreos had charge of the song service preceding the sermon. He played the piano and Miss Sue Morrow the organ. Lamar Reiner Jr. sang a solo and Ben Ringdorf rendered a trombone selection.

SHOULD STAY HOME

In commenting on the fire that destroyed an automobile occupied by a traveling family Sunday afternoon near his home on the Samson highway, Lake English said Monday morning that he guessed he would have to remain at home on Sunday afternoon. He said something serious seems to happen almost every time he leaves home on Sunday.

Mr. English said he and his family spent Sunday at Sunnyside Beach and the car burned up. About two years ago, a little Calhoun child was killed in a car wreck in front of his home while he was away. The two accidents occurred on the rare occasions he was not at home on Sunday afternoon, Mr. English said.

ALEX HURST

Alex Hurst, New Brockton policeman who was critically injured several months ago when he was shot in the head with his own gun, underwent a brain operation at a Birmingham hospital recently. Joe Frazier, Negro, is being held in the Coffee County jail in connection with the case.

Hospital surgeons reported the operation was successful and stated they had hopes Hurst would live. However, he is paralyzed and was in an unconscious condition for several weeks. His New Brockton friends report he is still in critical condition.

The Negro, Joe Frazier is in jail charged with assault with attempt to murder.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

David D. Rhodes, 23, Kinston, Rt. 1, and Miss Wynette Pierce, 16, Kinston

PECAN TREE ON
SQUARE 'LOADED'

One day last week, Lamar Vaughan asked me if I had noticed the pecan tree in the southwest corner of the court house yard near the flowing well. At his suggestion I took a look and was amazed at what I saw. I don't recollect ever seeing so many pecans on a tree of that size before. It is literally "broke out" with nuts.

Pecan trees throughout this area seem to be making up for lost time. The crop was very short last year, but if nothing happens within the next few weeks, indications point to Coffee County producing one of the largest pecan crops in history.

2 Slightly Hurt in
Car - Taxi Collision

A Blackman taxi cab driven by John Hawkins and a car driven by Mrs. Tom Vaughan collided Thursday morning at 7:30 o'clock at the Troy Dyeing corner, where a traffic light is located.

It was reported that the Vaughan car was hurled into the Dyeing yard. The drivers were not thrown out by the impact but Mr. Hawkins suffered a fractured rib and other painful but not serious injuries. Mrs. Vaughan sustained an injured knee and a blow on her nose which caused a copious loss of blood from a nosebleed. She was not seriously injured.

Both automobiles were badly damaged.

Thomas Allday Home
From Duty in Japan

Thomas Hill Allday recently arrived home from Japan where he has been stationed for the past year with the U. S. Air Force. He is spending his leave with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Frazier Allday.

Thomas Hill was made happy upon his arrival in Elba when he found his father had a brand new automobile waiting for him.



LEWEY STEPHENS

Lewey Stephens Will
Head District Demos

Circuit Solicitor Lewey Stephens will head the Third Congressional District drive by the Young Democrats of Alabama for new members.

Mr. Stephens will be in charge of shaping active units of Young Democrats in each county in the district.

The membership drive to establish Young Democrats of Alabama as a statewide grassroots organization was timed to coincide with the Democratic Party's fight to oust the Republicans from the White House.

Malcolm Prescotts
Have Perty Yard

Among Elba's enthusiastic and successful flower gardeners are Mr. & Mrs. Malcolm Prescott. They have a gorgeous display of Coladium, interspersed with coleus and other beautiful foliage plants.

Mrs. Prescott backed, by her husband, raised Coladiums on a smaller scale last year. She put the bulbs in a tub last fall and kept them through the winter.

This spring she set them out all around the house and in other parts of their well-kept back yard. Mrs. Prescott showed artistic talent in the way she arranged the var-colored foliage, blending the colors harmoniously and effectively. Some 25 different colors of Coladium were counted as well as a large number of Coleus plants while he is duly proud of his wife's Coladium and flowers, he is prouder of his young plants, attractively spaced in the back yard.

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Three persons attending the 50th Annual Scaled Harp Sing at Bradshaw Sunday, July 15, were also present at the first gathering held at this hotel. (l to r) are Laurena Phillips, Fred Donaldson and Miss Dixie Donaldson. (l to r) are Laurena Phillips, L. N. Phillips (assistant chairman), U. B. Hudson (chairman), Fred Donaldson and Miss Dixie Donaldson. (Clippie photo)

LOSE TO TROY & LUYERNE

Little Leaguers Drop Pair

Elba's up-and-coming Little Leaguers, under the management of Chief of Police "Bo" Dunaway, were hosts to the Luyerne Little Leaguers on the Elba diamond Monday night. Although the locals 12-year-olds lost 6-6 in a 10-inning contest, they showed marked improvement over the Troy game. Manager Dunaway and Elba fans were well-satisfied with their performance.

The Elba youngsters got a late start this season and are meeting opponents who have been practicing all summer.

Elba's line up: G. Hudson, ss; J. Holley, cf; Lockin, 2b; J. Sanders, cf; B. Casey, 1b; T. Hudson, 3b; C. Taylor, rf; Paul Morrow, p; Mickey McCollough, c.

Morrow pitched effectively for five innings but tired and was relieved by Taylor who finished in good style. Prescott batted for Morrow in the 6th. In the 7th, Morrow was substituted for Prescott. Kelly subbed for Morrow.

ATTEND COMMISSIONERS MEETING

Back From Salt Lake City

received a first-hand account of the miraculous way in which sea gulls saved early settlers' crops from the grasshopper, the commissioners' court clerk recounted. Untold numbers of migratory sea birds devoured the insects, drank salt water from the lake which made them sick, and then came back to eat more insects, thus saving the crop.

Mr. Kendrick said they had a wonderful time and found Salt Lake City somewhat different from most cities. The people were unusually friendly and showed no inclination to grieve visitors as is so often the case in convention cities.

Mr. Kendrick said Alabama had a larger representation than any other state and had great influence because of its voting strength.

The Whitman's made the trip by automobile while Mr. & Mrs. Kendrick and Mr. & Mrs. Lee went by train. They all agreed that the trip was one of the most interesting and enjoyable they ever made.

SCATTERED OVER GLOBE

Reports About Servicemen

JOHNNY H. JORDAN
FORT CAMPBELL, Ky. — Sgt. Johnny H. Jordan, whose wife, Louise, lives in New Brockton, is scheduled to become a member of the 10th Airborne Division when it is formally organized at Fort Campbell Ky. Sept. 21.

Sergeant Jordan has been serving in Japan with the 508th Airborne Regimental Combat Team, which is now being airlifted to the U. S. He was assigned to the 1st Battalion's Headquarters Company of the team.

The sergeant attended Coffee Springs (Ala.) High School. He entered the army in 1940 and received basic training at Fort McClellan, Ala. He arrived in Europe in February, 1945.

WILLIE H. WINDHAM
FORT POLK, La. — Army Warrant Officer Willie H. Windham, 33, son of Willie O. Windham, New Brockton, recently arrived at Ft. Polk for duty with the 1st Airborne Division.

Windham, who was last stationed at Fort Eustis, Va., is now a test pilot and the aircraft maintenance officer in the division's 89th Transportation detachment.

He worked for the Enterprise (Ala.) Flying Service before he entered the army in October, 1942. His wife, Jean, lives in Leesville.

AROUND THE
FLOWING WELL

By Paul E. Cunningham

Frances Conner should be named official greeter for Elba. How many times have you noticed her really going out of her way to welcome folks back to town. Last time we noticed it was when Rev. & Mrs. E. T. Edgar came back for a few hours visit. When they walked into the drug store, Frances welcomed them in such a manner that I know they were glad they came back. A few people around here like Frances mean a lot to a town.

According to the conversation we overheard between Robert Marsh and Fred Harper a lot of sports fans from Elba will be going to the high school all-star game in Tuscaloosa this month. Elba's two representatives worked out twice a day for about two weeks before they reported in Tuscaloosa Wednesday for squad practice.

Sometimes I get up mighty early but I don't believe I have ever gone by the feed store early enough not to find Hayward Taylor reared back in a chair by the door reading the morning paper.

Another place folks congregated just after sun-up is around the police station. Usually you can find Chief "Bo" Dunaway, Patrolman "Coo" Rhodes, D. B. Anderson, Mayor L. E. Mullins, and a crew under Fitzhugh Calhoun chatting before starting out for a day's work. If the early bird gets the worm, this crowd should have a barrel full by now.

One of the easiest things in town to tell is when the postal inspector is in the local post office giving the records a spot check. It is marked contrast to the joking and light conversation bantered back and forth between Dad English, Cecil Wise, Postmaster Robert Cooper and the ruckus carters, you can find faces and silence that is almost oppressive. It doesn't stay that way any longer than the inspector is in town. Then once again it is a pleasure to walk in to pick up the mail as the flowing well this week.

Another early morning treat—watching Ben Conner, tax collector, chase a soft drink with a cup of coffee. I've seen in a long time was Mrs. John B. Wise who came in to tell us about the baby boy born to her son John Milton and his wife, the former Lillian Hicks of Luyerne at a Tuscaloosa Hospital on July 24. The youngster has been named John Milton Jr. Mrs. John B. Wise reported that his newest addition to their family had four grandparents and four great-grandparents living.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Mrs. Lonnie Fortune to J. C. and Shelby Boutwell.

C. E. Dorsey Jr. as trustee to Dorsey Trailers, Inc.

John D. Watson and wife to Gertrude Gallimore and husband to Theron Wesley Griffith.

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Blind Boll Weevils Starve

BY C. B. McDOWELL

Ran McCollough, one of Coffee County's most successful farmers, was examining some open cotton bolls in town Friday. He said he has 40 acres or so of cotton on his farm out Smith Avenue way, as he ever saw. He said he has no hesitancy in predicting that the 40 acres will make at least 40 bales of cotton.

Mr. McCollough said he feels sorry for his neighbors and fellows all over the county who have given away their cotton crops to the government. He explained in detail how he managed to raise his bumper crop of cotton in a year when the boll weevils played havoc with most cotton lands in the county and all over the South.

In the first place, Mr. McCollough emphatically avoided making plenty of hard work from the neck up as well as from the neck down. He said he applied a liberal dose of nitrate of soda to his cotton just at the time the boll weevils were getting ready to work on the bolls. This made the weevils deadly sick. Then he dusted them with a poisonous dust which caused them to go stone blind.

Mr. McCollough said a boll weevil depends entirely on sight and not on smell to find cotton to eat. So if you can't see him, he is helpless. As a result the Coffee County farmer said he was out in his cotton field Saturday morning and it looked like a huge flower garden—countless white blossoms everywhere and not a boll weevil to be found.

He said he is not in the race for winning the first bale of cotton. Under his methods of scientific management, his crop has been better under control with no premature bolls. Since he has no boll weevils, his cotton goes on blooming and making more cotton every day.

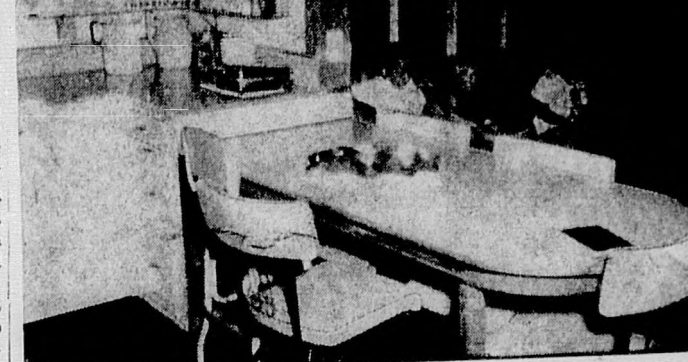
He said he doesn't care about soil banks, clay banks or any other kind of banks except the kind of bank where he can deposit his money when the time comes to market his 40 bales of cotton from his 40 acres.

Beavers Build Dam in Town

BY C. B. McDOWELL

When Jimmy Holland took me to the Two-Mile Bridge several months ago to inspect beaver dams, I thought the animals were getting pretty close to becoming city dwellers.

But now, the beavers have moved within the city limits. L. P. Mullins took me to the place where Beaver Dam Creek runs through West Rushing street via large pipes and showed me where beavers have built a dam within the city limits and have they are causing a pond to form above the road which will be a mosquito breeding place. In the cases of heavy rain, the whole area would be inundated and it would be easy for the roadway to get washed out.



Den in Wilbur Donaldson Home — Curtis Community

Farm Home Now 'Modern'

How do you like the Kitchen-Den living area? Well, the Wilbur Donaldson's of Curtis community are really proud of theirs and are thoroughly enjoying it. Mrs. Donaldson says the family is able to eat and watch TV at the same time. And also, as she prepares meals in the kitchen, she is able to keep an eye on the children and monitor the TV program they are watching. Shown in the picture are Ray, Curtis and Jane.

When the Donaldson's home was planned and built it did not include this nice kitchen-den feature. There were two rooms originally. Later, the Donaldsons had the wall between the two rooms removed, replacing the wall space with the eating area. The kitchen table is yellow, the chairs gray. Walls in the den are plastered with a lot of green applique paint applied on top. This gives a very pleasing and different appearance to the room. The draperies in the den are green, picking up the green from the walls. The kitchen walls are white plaster, and the cabinets are white also. Mrs. Donaldson says she is pleased with the natural woodwork used throughout her home.

Welfare Cases Get Review

Over 87 percent of the cases under care of the Coffee County Department of Pensions and Security had received their required annual reviews. Mrs. Grace M. Ebert, director, announced, "Workers have made these reviews which are a condition for receiving federal funds," she explained.

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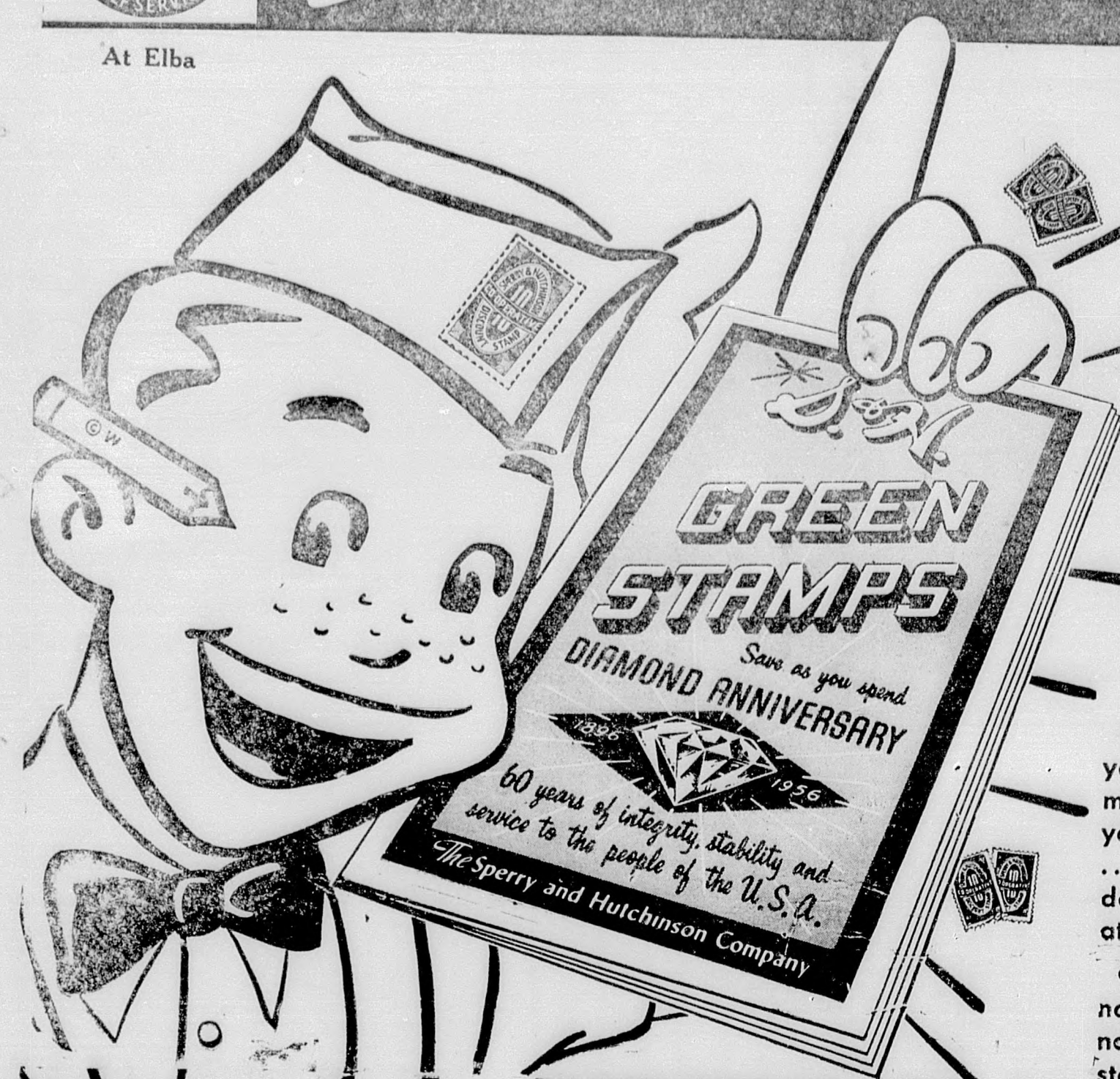
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LB

15¢

Del Monte Tom. 46 oz Can
JUICE

33c

Hunts Fruit No. 300 Can
COCKTAIL

25c

White House Whole Spiced 16 oz Jar
PEACHES

27c

Swift's Winterized

COOKING OIL \$1.79

Dromedary Cake

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Lucky Leaf Apple Pie

FILLING

Bama Apple

JELLY

3 Packages

89c

Can

27c

2 lb Jar

33c

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COFFEE

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73c

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\$1.29

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23c

Plymouth

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33c

Pint Jar

33c



Full Gallon Glass Jug

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GRAPES

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PLUMS

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Crisp

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35c

2 lbs.

29c

lb.

19c

lb.

23c

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SOCIETY - NEWS - SECTION

MRS. J. D. WHITMAN

Society Editor

Mr. & Mrs. John (Buddy) Winham and little son of Cordoba, Ga. are spending a few days with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Morgan Winham.

Miss Frances Grace of Montgomery is visiting in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Neal Hutto.

Mrs. Tom Butts of Columbus, Ga. is spending some time with Mrs. Mollie Loftin.

Lewey Stephens Jr. has re-

turned home after a visit with his grandmother in Seattle, Washington. Mr. & Mrs. Lewey Stephens went to Atlanta Saturday to meet him at the airport.

Mr. & Mrs. H. R. Spear and Linda of Vero Beach, Fla. and Miss & Mrs. E. H. Whitely and Brenda were recent visitors in the home of their parents, Mr. & Mrs. H. S. Whitely. Set Whitely and family left last week for Mobile where he will be stationed.

Mr. & Mrs. C. Y. Martin and Mr. & Mrs. Charles Martin spent last weekend with Mr. & Mrs. Fred Martin at Panama City.

Mrs. Thompson of West Palm Beach is spending some time in the home of her son, K. D. Thompson and Mrs. Thompson.

Mr. & Mrs. Dozier Bryan have returned from a visit with relatives in Columbus, Ga.

Mr. & Mrs. C. Y. Martin and Mr. & Mrs. Charles Martin spent last weekend with Mr. & Mrs. Fred Martin at Panama City.

Dr. & Mrs. Jackson of Graceville were recent visitors in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ned Young.

Mr. & Mrs. Wayland Bryan and daughter, Yvonne, visited in Tunica, Miss. last week.

Mrs. J. R. Grumblie of Unionville, Maryland, is visiting Mr. & Mrs. Wayland Bryan this week.

Mr. & Mrs. J. W. Moody visited in Montgomery last weekend and while there, attended the Howard Butt Revival.

Weekend guests of Mr. & Mrs. Dock Parker were Mr. & Mrs. Wayne Parker and son of Mobile and Mr. & Mrs. Wayland Dubose and children of Graceville, Fla.

Lamar Parker is visiting Mike Dubose in Graceville, Fla. this week.

Mrs. Corrine West is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. John Bonneau.

TO ALASKA
Percy Jones and son, Curtis, Mr. & Mrs. J. A. Jones, and other relatives over the weekend. Curtis, who is a member of the U. S. Coast Guard, told his friends that he will soon be transferred to Alaska.

HOUSE FULL OF VISITORS
Mr. & Mrs. M. J. Ruman and son, Stephen and Bill, and Miss Christine Wilson, all of Springfield, Va., Mr. & Mrs. Tommy Liles and children, Susan and Tommy of Brewton, were visitors in the home of Mr. & Mrs. O. C. Smith and Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Wilson several days last week.

PORT BENNING, Ga. — First Lt. Leighton Crawford, whose wife Jacquelyn, lives at 805 Goodson St., Enterprise, recently participated in the Third Army swimming and diving meet at Fort Benning.

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CRICKETS
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DOUBLE FEATURE
They take VEGAS for a JOY RIDE!
CRASHING LAS VEGAS

SERIAL - COMEDY
Sun.-Mon., Aug. 5-6

M-G-M presents
KISMET
... Ecstasy of Love!
HOWARD KEEL BLYTH GRAY
OR
DAMONE COLOR and CINEMASCOPE
AD MAT NO. 113 1 COL 4" (28 LINES)
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COFFEE DRIVE
IN THEATRE
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New Brockton-Enterprise
Highway
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"Snake Killer" Ranks
Get Feminine Member

Mrs. Baxter Bryan said Sunday night that she had noticed snake - killing stories in The Clipper from time to time, so she wished to join the ranks of the snake-killing brigade.

She reported killing a large rattlesnake crossing the road in front of her car. She applied the brakes as the rear wheel of the car ran over the snake and ground it to death.

Mrs. Bryan said she had killed three large rattlers in a similar manner recently. She said she heard that unless brakes are applied causing the wheels to skid on the snake, it will probably only be injured and crawl away. She reports enough experience to become quite expert at rattlesnake killing. The one she killed Sunday afternoon was extra large and had ten rattles. Later several had been knocked off.

Mrs. Lander Clifton and children of Greenville and Miss Dolores Franklin of Midland, Texas spent Sunday with Mrs. B. S. Franklin.

TO ALASKA
Percy Jones and son, Curtis, Mr. & Mrs. J. A. Jones, and other relatives over the weekend. Curtis, who is a member of the U. S. Coast Guard, told his friends that he will soon be transferred to Alaska.

HOUSE FULL OF VISITORS
Mr. & Mrs. M. J. Ruman and son, Stephen and Bill, and Miss Christine Wilson, all of Springfield, Va., Mr. & Mrs. Tommy Liles and children, Susan and Tommy of Brewton, were visitors in the home of Mr. & Mrs. O. C. Smith and Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Wilson several days last week.

PORT BENNING, Ga. — First Lt. Leighton Crawford, whose wife Jacquelyn, lives at 805 Goodson St., Enterprise, recently participated in the Third Army swimming and diving meet at Fort Benning.

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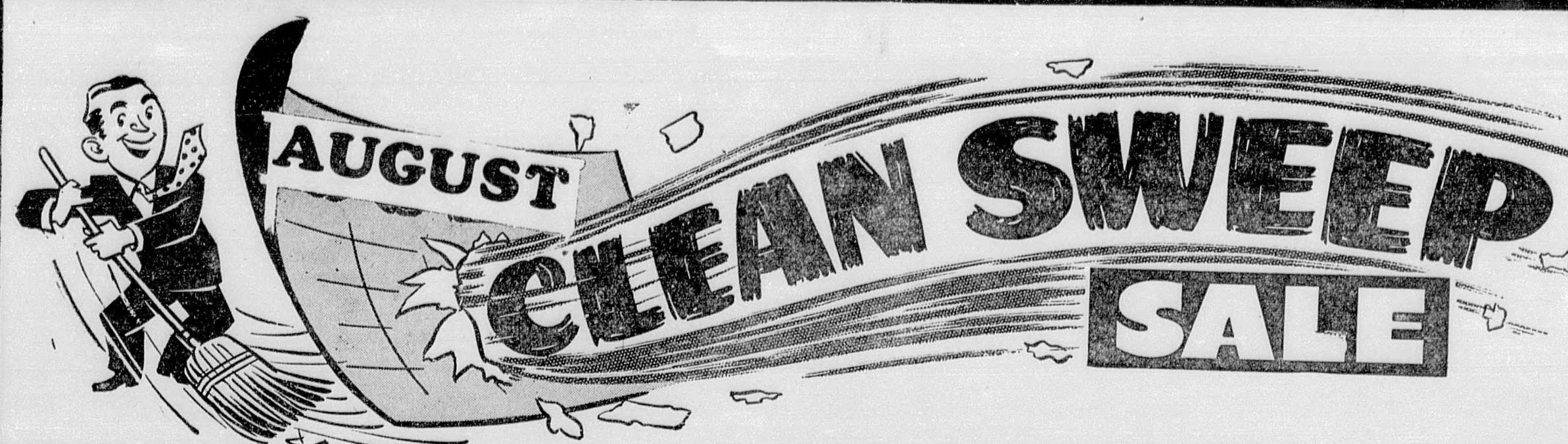
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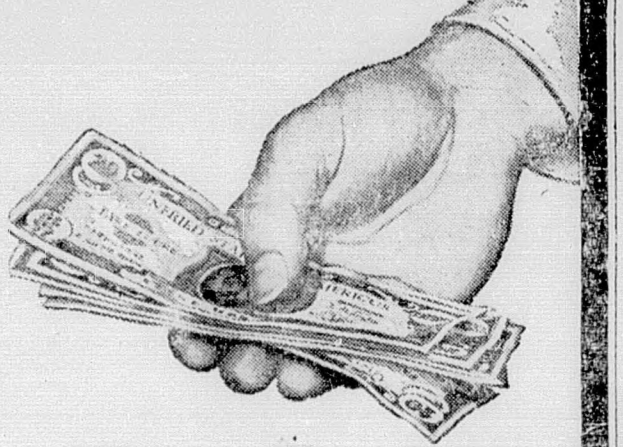
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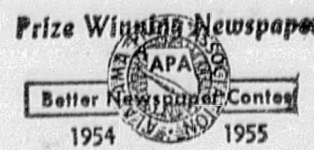
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NOTICE OF MUNICIPAL ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that on September 17, 1956, a general election will be held for the election of a Mayor, a Councilman-at-large, and a Councilman from each of the four wards in the City of Elba, Ala.; And that all registered and qualified voters who reside within the corporate limits of the city will be authorized to participate in said election.

Done this 30th day of July, 1956.

L. P. Mullins, Mayor

Authenticated:
Mrs. T. D. Kendrick, City Clerk

CLASSIFIED

COLUMNS OF OPPORTUNITIES

WANTED
Lady to train for manager between the ages of 21 and 35 years-old. Apply to Mrs. Pearl Dawkins, L. M. West 5c & 10c Store, Elba, Ala. 3c to Opp July 25 - Aug. 2-9

WANTED
Man, lady or couple for full or part time work. Write Great South, Bonifay, Fla. 4c Aug 16

FOR SALE
1941 Chevrolet car with reworked motor. Clean.
1955 Chevrolet pickup. Low mileage. Clean as new.
1948 5-passenger car. Clean body, new factory reworked motor.
1950 Ford 2-door car. Why not come in and pick up a bargain. Redmon - Windham Tractor Co. 3c July 25 - Aug. 2-9

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About And Things

BY C. B. McDOWELL

STOKES IS OPTIMISTIC
William Jackson Stokes, Coffee County representative in the state legislature, is planning to leave Saturday afternoon to attend the Democratic convention at the alternate delegate from the Third Congressional District.

Mr. Stokes invited me to accompany him to Chicago and occupy one of the two seats to which he is entitled. I appreciated the honor but told him I am too much of a home-body individual—that I haven't been any farther away from Elba than Decatur, Ga. in more than three weeks. He said he would see me in the future.

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How Mrs. Johnson does it year after year. I don't know, but I have an idea that since Dove has recovered successfully from his two eye operations she persuades him to render at least a small amount of assistance in her flower culturing.

There are many beautiful flower gardens and attractive yards in Elba that are worthy of mention.

S. R. CHAPPELL RETURNS
S. R. Chappell, who has been operating a garage in Panama City, Fla., has returned to Elba. He is living in his old home and will again be a neighbor of the Elba Church of God.

Mr. Chappell is a skilled auto mechanic. He said he could make more money in Panama City but that expenses there are also much higher so he is glad to be back in his old stomping grounds.

HOSPITALIZED
Miss Annie Laurie Fortner underwent an operation at Enterprise hospital Friday afternoon. She was getting along nicely at last report.

MAYO FRESCOTT RETURNS
Mayo Prescott returned home Saturday from Birmingham where he underwent treatment for a nervous condition. He is greatly improved but is still unable to resume his duties as the plant superintendent at Dorsey Trainers.

MRS. HAYES HOSPITALIZED
Mrs. Charles Hayes is in the Enterprise hospital where she underwent an operation last Friday afternoon. It was reported Monday that her condition was satisfactory.

BILLY PERDUE TRANSFERRED
Dana B. Perdue reports that his son, Billy, who is employed by the International Paper Co. has been transferred from Madison, Ga. to Americus, Ga. The new location is more centrally located in his territory.

However, Billy fears the move will work a hardship on him as his family has established a fine modern home in Madison and Billy fears he may have to sell it at a sacrifice.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL
Mrs. Dana B. Perdue returned home Monday afternoon from Enterprise hospital where she underwent treatment for several days. Her health is improved.

COOL BY COMPARISON
We all live by comparisons. I was made to feel considerably cooler Monday morning when I heard over the radio that the thermometer registered 109 in Dallas, Texas, Sunday. It was a cool maximum of 88 in Elba.

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